

Congresswoman Louise Slaughter released the following statement following the devastating earthquake in Haiti:

“My thoughts and prayers go out to the victims of this tragic earthquake in Haiti. I hope everyone will do what they can to lend support to the recovery effort, and am thankful to the State Department and American Red Cross for their quick offer of disaster relief and humanitarian assistance. I invite everyone to visit the State Department website to find out how you can help those in need.”

The [State Department's blog](#) , [State Department 2010 Earthquake page](#) , and the [American Red Cross](#) have some of the latest information on the disaster, how you can help, and assistance for finding friends and family in Haiti.